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#### THE AD VALOREM TAX RATE.

Four years ago the state ad valorem tax in Texas was 20 cents on the \$100. Today it is only 4 cents on the \$100. The great dailies in other states would a sign of weakness to hate venomousbe glad to say this for their home ly. So be careful how you hate." Yet state.-Tyler Courier-Times.

Texas are boasting of the reduction some great Englishman, we have forbecause they know it was a bit of gotten who, said he liked a good hater. demagoguery not at all creditable to Hatred is the antithesis of love, and Texas. The administration took money has its place in the moral cosmos. for current expenses that ought to have been used to supply the urgent leaving the institutions to suffer. It is for education, but as a means of meet- more attractive and more desirable as than "bachelor girls."

a crying shame that there are now on ing the demands of the present it is the A. & M. campus four hundred mere bagatelle. One dollar would go young men in tents, exposed to the as far then as ten dollars will now. rigor of winter and the danger of sick- The only way to have schools such as ness and death because of the despica- the times demand is to dig up. ble penuriousness of the Campbell administration, which is now happily near its end-all for the sake of reducing the tax rate below a point at which it can be maintained, in order Entered as second-class matter April to force the succeeding administration to raise it. The people of Texas know this and value at its true worth such cheap politics. Hence it is that Governor Colquitt is hailed with acclamations of joy from Texarkana to DO El Paso and from Texline to Brownsville. Anything, Lord, for a change!

> It is unfortunate for the cause of prohibition that many of its advocates rely chiefly on wholesale and indis. have his hands full promoting political criminate denunciation of all who do peace and legislative rest while quarnot agree with them. This course rels with the heads of three executive killed, while the Satsuma oranges in drives many to fight them who, if left departments confront him, alone, would either give them aid and comfort or remain neutral. If, for instance, Dr. Rankin in Home and State is sounding the keynote of the campaign that is now upon us, the result friends, the birds, and provide most will be the same that it was in 1887.

Says the Galveston Tribune: "It is King David, "a man after God's own None of the great dailies and but heart," declared that he hated certain

The fathers of Texas made what

James Gordon Bennett, the nest, founder of the New York Herald, said in his broad Scottish brogue that the way to make a newspaper succeed was to "prent all the noos and mak a dom foos aboot it." On the same principle, the way to build up a town is to do things and make a racket about it.

The Eagle is glad of the assurance that there was no quarrel between Governor-elect Colquitt and Chief Justice Gaines. The new governor will

It is passing strange that men claiming to be intelligent and humane will wage relentless war on their best hospitable entertainment for their worst enemies, the flies and mos-

An exchange suggests that if Texans sold their votes, as Ohioans have been many to pay their poll taxes.

One main object of the Commercial needs of the institutions of the state, was in their day munificent provision Club is to make Bryan more cleanly, old maids," This is shorter and uglier

a place of residence. This is the

easiest, cheapest and surest way to

secure new citizens of the best class.

The Lorimer whitewash has thoroughly turned the nation's stomach. It was too much even for Illinois, which heretofore has seemed to enjoy the smell of malodorous statesmen al most as much as Pennsylvania,

The sugar trust wants Uncle Sam to let by-gones be by-gones. The bathtub trust beseeches Uncle Sam to forget it. The windowglass trust implores ture on the hereafter says angels wear have opened an up-to-date restay Uncle Sam to wipe out old scores and

Nine-tenths of the cabbage crop in the lower Rio Grande valley was Southeast Texas are but slightly damaged. Are Satsumas hardler than cabbages?

Instead of being an era of "political peace and legislative rest," all signs indicate that the administration of Governor Colquitt will be the stormiest that Texas has had since Jim Hogg's

few of the little dailies or weeklies of characters "with perfect hatred." And doing, there would be no delinquent railroad has issued an order requiring poll tax payers. We don't believe it, deadheads to give up seats to fare-It is not a mercenary motive, but in- paying passengers on crowded trains. difference, that causes the failure of All transportation lines should follow

The Brownsville Fan speaks of "he

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